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Notice of Firm.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of the late Mr. THOMAS EDWARDS DAVIES is our Firm CRASER on the 31st December last.

DOUGLAS LARBAK & Co.
Hongkong, March 2, 1893.

BANKS.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,000,000.
RESERVED CAPITAL, £500,000.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Directors: CHOW TUNG SHANG, CHAI KIN SHAN, ESQ., CH. J. HUI, ESQ., W. WATSON, ESQ., KWAN HOI CHUNG, ESQ., CHIEF MANAGER, GEO. W. F. PLATEAU.

Branches: LONDON, YOKOHAMA, AMOY, AND HONGKONG.

Interest for 12 months Fixed 5%
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Current Accounts 2%

THE MERCHANT BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,500,000.
RESERVED CAPITAL, £1,125,000.

Bankers: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LTD.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS: For 12 Months, 5%; For 6 Months, 4%; For 3 Months, 3%.

JOHN THURBERN, Manager, Hongkong.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £10,000,000.
RESERVED FUND, £3,600,000.
RESERVE FUND, £10,000,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS: H. HOFFMAN, Esq., Chairman. G. J. HUI, Esq., Deputy Chairman. Hon. James J. Bell, Esq., J. S. Laprak, Esq., J. R. Mason, Esq., Carl Johnston, Esq., J. R. Mason, Esq., Julius Kramer, Esq., Gerald Slade, Esq.

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HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance up to \$200,000.

On Fixed Deposits: For 12 months, 5%; For 6 months, 4%; For 3 months, 3%.

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Banks.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK. The business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Sales may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 4 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager, Hongkong, August 1, 1891.

Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THE RANGE will be CLOSED owing to Military Manoeuvres on the 23rd, 24th, and 25th Instant. On MONDAY, 27th, it is reserved for the Navy. On TUESDAY, 28th, there will be Practice at 600 yards; and on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 29th and 30th, at 800 and 900 yards.

ED. ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary, Hongkong, March 23, 1893.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB. THE Annual LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT will be commenced on the 1st MONDAY in April, consisting of the following Events:—

CHAMPIONSHIP. SINGLE HANDICAP A & B Class. DOUBLE HANDICAP. PROFESSION PAIRS.

Entry Lists at the CRICKET PAVILION and at the HONGKONG CLUB ENTRANCE. CLOSE on SATURDAY, 25th Inst.

EDWARD A. RAM, Hon. Secretary, Hongkong, March 13, 1893.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that a PRIVATE MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Company's Hotel on SATURDAY, 8th April, at 11 a.m.

By Order, R. LYALL, Secretary, Hongkong, March 13, 1893.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE. THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 12th to 29th April, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE. MRS. FALCONER has VACANCIES for RESIDENT BOARDERS, at Kowloon, Victoria View.

Hon. kong, March 4, 1893.

THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1892.

CONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to furnish the Underwriter with a List of their CONTRIBUTIONS for the year ending 31st December, 1892, in order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns rendered prior to the 31st day of MARCH, 1893, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Canton Insurance Office, Limited, Hongkong, March 1, 1893.

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co., Wine and Spirit Merchants, 13, Queen's Road, Hongkong, August 18, 1891.

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MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA, Sole Agents, Hongkong, October 1, 1892.

RAIL PROGRAMMES FOR SALE. IN NEW SHAPES AND PATTERNS.

'CHINA MAIL' OFFICE, 5, WYNDHAM STREET, Hongkong, February 7, 1893.

Business Notices.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. SINGLE STICKS AND MASKS. FENCING FOILS AND MASKS. NEW VENTILATED BOXING GLOVES. FOOTBALLS, DUMB BELLS, SQUATS.

RALEIGH BICYCLES. 'HARTS' SQUEEZERS' PLAYING CARDS, CHESS, BACKGAMMON, DRAUGHTS, DOMINOES, DICE AND CUPS, DRAUGHT AND CHESS BOARDS.

CRICKETING SUNDRIES. BILLIARD CUES.—A Good Assortment of Plain-ash, Balanced Handles and Champion. BILLIARD BALLS, ONE TIP, CEMENT, POCKETS, CLOTH, RESTS, CHALK, CUE-TIP-FASTENERS, SPOTS, BRUSHES, &c.

A COMBINATION BILLIARD AND DINING TABLE. SALOON and KITCHEN RIFLES, MATCH RIFLES, JONES' REPEATING CARBINES, WINCHESTER MAGAZINE CARBINES.

HAMMERS FOWLING PIECES IN CASES, COMPLETE. SMITH & WESSON'S REVOLVERS, 'BULL DOG' REVOLVERS, COLTS' REVOLVERS. SADDLERY AND STABLE REQUISITES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. 400 Hongkong, March 2, 1893.

W. POWELL & Co. NEW MILLINERY. NEW MILLINERY. NEW MILLINERY.

LADIES' GENTLEMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S WHITE STRAW HATS. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, LACES, &c., &c.

W. POWELL & Co. 532 Hongkong, March 20, 1893.

ROBERT LANG & Co. NEW GOODS. A LARGE SELECTION OF WHITE AND STRIPE FLANNELS AND SERGES.

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HONGKONG HOTEL. Telephone, No. 32. The Most Comfortable and Best-Appointed HOTEL in the Far East; situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, and adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony).

The Hotel Steam Launch conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers. The TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy. The BED ROOMS, with adjoining Bathrooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open to spacious Verandahs, and lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communication.

The READING, WRITING, and SMOKING ROOMS, LADIES' DRAWING ROOMS, the NEW BAR and PUBLIC BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

A GRILL ROOM, where chops, steaks, &c., are served at any hour, adjoins the Hotel. WINES and SPIRITS of the Best Brands only.

HYDRAULIC ASCENDING ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above. NIGHT PORTERS and WAITERS are continually on duty.

E. TUCKER, Manager, 1842 Hongkong, October 21, 1892.

THE MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL, 1400 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL. Telephone, No. 35. TRAFFIC FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1892, UNTIL APRIL 30th, 1893, SUBJECT TO ACCOMMODATION BEING AVAILABLE.

Board and Lodging by the Day, one person, \$3.00. Board and Lodging by the Day for Married Couples occupying one room, 4.50. Board and Lodging by the Month for Married Couples occupying one room, 100.00.

Board and Lodging by the Month for Single Persons occupying one room, 100.00. CHILDREN BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.

Sitting-room by the Day, 2.50. Dinner, 1.00. Extra Bed-room by the Day, 30.00. Extra Bed-room by the Month, 200.00. Extra Bed-room by the Month (Bedroom extra), 20.00. Bed and Breakfast, 2.50. 0.75 Chinese Servants by the Day, 0.15.

Breakfast will be supplied to Residents and Visitors at the Hotel at reduced rates.—For further Particulars apply at the Company's Office, 38 & 40, Queen's Road Central, or to R. T. HERWOOD, Manager, MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL, Hongkong, October 7, 1892.

Intimations. DR. ESENJEE'S WONDERFUL RING. GOOD morning, Gentlemen! Do you wish to prevent premature death from diseases, then ask at once for ESENJEE'S WONDERFUL RING! It cures Cancers, Asthma, Bronchitis, Piles, Liver Complaints within a short period, and rapidly cures all attacks of Epilepsy, Spasms, Cholera, Paralysis, Hyetia, and it keeps the blood free from all diseases by putting it on the finger of the left hand. I can strongly state as a means of preserving and restoring health it is unequalled, and it has been used by several European Ladies and Gentlemen with great success, for which I hold several unsolicited testimonials. It is the most wonderful discovery of the day. I have no hesitation in stating before the public that all householders should not be without it; and its price is also very little, only Rs. 18 including packing and postage. See Dozen Rs. 12; 1 dozen Rs. 7/6. Apply to DR. B. ESENJEE, 85, Decho Chatterjee's Street, CALCUTTA.

No V. P. P. System—Please send cash with order.

WINDSOR HOTEL, (in connection with) QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. THE Private Hotel heretofore carried on in WINDSOR HOUSE has now been removed to CONNAUGHT HOUSE.

Each Bed-room has its own Bath-room. Hot and Cold Water. Passenger Elevator to all floors. Charges from \$2 per day upwards. Special Rates for Families: Permanent Boarders. Offices and Rooms to let furnished, and furnished or without Board, by day or month. Apply at the Office, No. 37, 3rd Floor, Hongkong, August 23, 1892.

Intimation. PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE, 'GLENDALE BUILDINGS,' (Nos. 12 and 14, Wyndham Street.) MRS. GILLANDERS has VACANCIES for RESIDENT BOARDERS and VISITORS also accommodation for TABLE BOARDERS. Hongkong, July 4, 1892.

YUNG CHUNG & Co. (興順海上). FROM SHANGHAI, are prepared to undertake CONTRACTS and JOBS for PAINTING, POLISHING, DECORATING and all descriptions of ORNAMENTAL WORK in Houses, also for making CABINETS and FRENCH POLISHING FURNITURE, and solicit the kind patronage of the Public. All Orders will be promptly, faithfully and satisfactorily executed. Best Materials and Superior First-class Workmanship in neat and best style guaranteed. CHARGES MODERATE. No. 15, WELLINGTON STREET, HONGKONG, February 1, 1893.

DE. KNORR'S ANTIPTYRINE 'LION BRAND.' (Dose for adults 15 to 35 grains) is the most approved and most efficacious REMEDY in cases of HEADACHE, MIGRAINE, NEURALGIA, RHEUMATISM, FEVER, TYPHUS, ERYSIPELAS, HOODING COUGHS, INFLUENZA, DENGUE, and MANY OTHER COMPLAINTS. It is also the very best ANTIPYRETIC. Highly recommended by the Medical Faculty. Ask for Dr. Knorr's Antipyretic 'Lion Brand.' Each tin bears the inventor's signature 'Dr. Knorr' in red letters. DERMATOL is the best remedy for its effect in stimulating the closing of wounds is described as amazing. To be had of every reputed Chemist and Druggist. Supplies constantly on hand at CHINA EXPORT, LARGEST & BEST, 1, CORNER, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI, Sole Agents for China. Beware of cheap imitations!!! 1063

Intimations.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. A FINAL DIVIDEND of 3% for the 6 Months ending 31st December, 1892, has been declared on the Company's Profits and Losses.

The DIVIDEND WARRANTS will be Ready on the 27th Instant. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company are CLOSED till the 27th Inst., inclusive.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

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VOYAGERS' CALCULATORS, BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES, REFRIGERATORS AND OTHER COMFORTABLES, ADMIRALTY AND IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware, Charles & Co.'s Electro-Plated Ware, GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY in great variety.

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being Notes on various Subjects connected with China, by J. DYER BAILL, M.B.A.S., H. M. Civil Service, Hongkong. CONSIDERABLE additions have been made to the present edition by the insertion of New Articles on the following Subjects:—BAMBOOS, BOATS, EMERALDINE, ENGLISH FROM CHINESE PENS, FIREWORKS AND FIREWORKS, THE FORTIFIED IN FAR CATHAY, JADE, JAWS, MANDARIN, MANHOODS, PAGODAS, PAWNSHOPS, POPULATION, POT-TE AND OTHER GAMES OF CHANCE, SNUFF-TOBACCO, STAMPS, STITCHES, TOMES and TORTURE.

There are very few articles that have not been retouched and in some cases, largely added to.

KELLY & WALSH, LTD., PUBLISHERS, 539 Hongkong, March 23, 1893.

To Let. FOUR ROOMS (furnished or unfurnished) above the Kowloon Club, Kowloon, with Two BATH ROOMS. Apply to DORANEE NOWROJEE, Victoria Hotel, Hongkong, March 15, 1893.

To Let. NO. 2, PEDDER'S STREET, next to the Post Office—suitable for OFFICES or CHAMBERS. Apply to G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central, Hongkong, March 1, 1893.

To Let. OFFICES—1st and 2nd Floors of No. 4, Queen's Road Central, over the BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN & STRAITS, LTD. Nos. 11 and 12, COOMES ROYAL LARGES, UNFURNISHED HOUSES at MAGAZINE GARDEN, 10, OLD BAY.

NO. 7, PRAYA CENTRAL, at present occupied by the NEW ORIENTAL BANK IN LIQUIDATION. NEW HOUSES IN RIVER TERRACE, BARNARD ROAD, near Breezy Point. NEW HOUSES IN ELGIN STREET, PRINCE STREET and STANTON STREET.

NO. 4, BLUE BUILDINGS. FLOORS IN BLUE BUILDINGS. GODOWN, No. 1, BLUE BUILDINGS. SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES, at MAGAZINE GARDEN. Very cheap rental. Nos. 21 and 23, CAINE ROAD. NO. 6, VICTORIA VIEW, KOWLOON. GROUND FLOORS, No. 3, SHELLEY STREET. NORMAN COTTAGE in ALBANY ROAD.

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD. Hongkong, March 10, 1893.

To Let. NO. 8, KNIGHTS ROAD, KOWLOON. Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD. Hongkong, March 7, 1893.

To Let. FROM 1st April. NO. 1, CAMERON VILLAS, MOUNT KELLY. Apply to G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central, Hongkong, March 13, 1893.

To Let. NO. 1, FROM MAY NEXT—HERMITAGE, CAINE ROAD—FURNISHED. Rent moderate. For Particulars, apply to R. C. WILCOX, 70, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, March 6, 1893.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF CHINESE PORCELAIN, BRONZES, ENAMELS AND CURIOS. THE Underwriter has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 25th March, 1893, commencing at 2.30 p.m. sharp, at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street.

Another Consignment, just received from the North, BEING A FINE AND LARGE COLLECTION OF CHINESE PORCELAIN AND CURIOS, from the MING-DYNASTY, the reigns of KANGHI, YUNGCHING and K'IENTUNG up to the present time, comprising:—

VASES, JARS, BAKERS' PLATES, TRAYS, ETC., in Five Colors, Blue and White, Black, Yellow, Apricot Glaze, ETC. KANGHI LAWTEEN JARS, PEKIN ENAMELS, BRONZES, SCULPTURE, BOTTLES and OTHER CURIOS.

A SMALL LOT OF PEKIN SILK EMBROIDERIES, ETC., ETC. The above will be on view on Friday next, and Catalogues will be issued prior to Sale.

TERMS of Sale.—Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMBERT, Auctioneer, Hongkong, March 18, 1893.

Notices to Consignees. STEAMSHIP SALAZAR. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex Steamships Tames and Aphrodite, from Havre ex Steamship Tynes, and from Bordeaux ex Steamship Verdenes, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuable—being landed and stored at their risk at the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company's Godown, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-day (Thursday), the 23rd Instant, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Underwriter.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Thursday, the 30th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Thursday, the 30th Instant, or they will not be recognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on Thursday, the 30th Instant, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent, Hongkong, March 23, 1893.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP INISHOWEN HEAD, FROM NEW YORK.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impounding the discharge of the Steamship will be at once landed and stored into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., at Kowloon, at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

All Claims against the Steamship must be presented to the Underwriter immediately or they will not be recognized.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong, March 20, 1893.

Shipping. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGASAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Ravana, Captain G. W. F. BEOWN, will leave for the above places at Noon, on FRIDAY, the 31st Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship Curlew, Captain CLARK, will be despatched as above on or about the 31st Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents, Hongkong, March 25, 1893.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Glenora, Captain A. J. JACOB, will be despatched as above on or about FRIDAY, the 31st Instant.

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for Passengers, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Hongkong, March 14, 1893.

Shipping.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Steamship Sunghang, Captain DOON, will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 25th Instant, at 6 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPOO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and ports on the YANTZSI.)

The Co.'s Steamship Oceanic, Captain JONES, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 25th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY. (Calling at COLOMBO, if sufficient inducement offers.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Guelion, Captain F. SPICE, will leave for the above places on MONDAY, the 27th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight, apply to H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 20, 1893.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Herculana, Captain JONES, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 28th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Co.'s Steamship Huroku, Captain H. WATSON, will be despatched for the above ports on THURSDAY, the 30th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS, Agent, Hongkong, March 18, 1893.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Machich, Captain CLARK, will be despatched for the above Port on or about WEDNESDAY, the 6th proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents, Hongkong, March 17, 1893.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship Ravana, Captain CLARK, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 31st April.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Cabin and Saloon are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

DEATH
Wiltshire,

at Manila, and the fine band of the Imperial played selections of music during the evening.

